



PATENT APPLICATION

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Henry William LUPTON

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 11, 2005, time for responding extended to September 12, 2005, by a Petition for Extension of Time being filed concurrently herewith, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages.

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